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APPLICATION OF)
KAREN PEILSTÖCKER ET AL) GROUP NO.: 1621
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/718,758) EXAMINER: S. A. WITHERSPOON
FILED: NOVEMBER 21, 2003)
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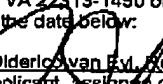
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)

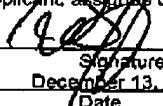
Commissioner for Patents,
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sirs:

Applicant(s), by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the
Commissioner for Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the
time for filing their response so that the Response filed simultaneously with this
Petition will be considered timely filed.

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